

The School Building

At Alder we are fortunate to have a modern building with excellent facilities and resources. Although the building is much larger than most primary schools, Alder is still a relatively small high school. The building is on 2 levels but is easy to navigate, and new students are able to find their way around easily within just a few days.

In addition to the general teaching classrooms we also have:

- ⇒ Six science laboratories;
- ⇒ Four technology workshops;
- ⇒ A music suite including 3 practice rooms and a recording studio;
- ⇒ Two art workshops;
- ⇒ A photography suite;
- ⇒ Five ICT rooms;
- ⇒ A library;
- ⇒ A drama workshop and dance studio;
- ⇒ A sports hall and fitness suite;
- ⇒ A floodlit artificial sports pitch;
- ⇒ Grass sports pitches and netball courts;
- ⇒ A large school hall with permanent staging for assemblies, drama productions and concerts.

In addition to the five designated ICT rooms the whole school has a wireless network so that we can use our class sets of laptop computers in every room. Similarly all teaching rooms have an interactive whiteboard.

Break and lunch is served in a dedicated dining room, with an outdoor covered seating area.